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MEMORANDUM FOR: Contributors.

Subject: Place names spelling, JANIS 74.

1. Special Publication No. 6, of Board on Geographical Names which has been distributed to contributors to JANIS 74 will be used as the standard for the spelling of place names with the exception that the following conventional names in the left column below are preferred:

<u>Conventional Name</u>	<u>Recommended by B.G.N.</u>
Lesser Khingan Range	(Hsiao-hsing-an-ling Shan-mo)
Hailar	(Hun-lun)
Dalay Nuur	Hun-lun Ch'ih
Tsitsihar	Lung-chiang
Man-chou-li	Lu-pin
Nonni River	Nen Chiang
Mergen	Nen-chiang
Buur Nuur	Pei-erh Hu
Harbin	Pin-chiang
Mukden	Shen-yang
Sungari River	Sung-hua Chiang
Greater Khingan Range	Ta-hsing-an-ling Shan-mo
Dairen	Ta-lien
Kirin	Yung-chi
Port Arthur	Ryojun

2. The names in the left column above will be used as the preferred names in JANIS 74 and the B.G.N. names and other variants will follow in parentheses the first time the name appears in each chapter. Thereafter only the preferred name need appear. For all place names appearing in the B.G.N. list, Special Publication No. 6, the B.G.N. recommended name will be used followed by parenthetical variants the first time the name appears in each chapter and the B.G.N. recommended name alone thereafter.

3. Transparent overlays showing B.G.N. corrections to the AMS series 5301, scale 1:1,000,000 will be available by 1 May 1945.

4. It is recommended that for names not on the above listed sources contributors submit lists to B.G.N. for check before plotting them on maps.

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